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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action dated 19 September 2007 for the above-captioned application, enclosed is the following:

• Amendment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees due in connection with this filing to our Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this Transmittal Letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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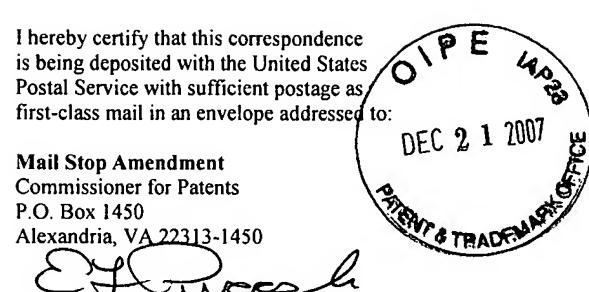
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In response to the Office action dated 19 September 2007, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.